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SUBJECT: MEXICAN-SPANISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS REPORTED NEAR

MADRID'S AFTERNOON PRESS MARCH 18 CARRIED REPORTS FROM MEXICO THAT THE IMMINENT RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN MEXICO AND SPAIN COULD BE ANNOUNCED SOON, PERHAPS IN THE LOPEZ PORTILLO PRESS CONFERENCE SCHEDULED FOR THE SAME DAY. THE PRESS ACCOUNTS, CITING OFFICIAL MEXICAN SOURCES, ALSO SAID SPANISH REPUBLICAN GOVT-IN-EXILE LEADERES FLEW INTO MEXICO FROM PARIS (ON MARCH 17, ACCORDING TO ONE STORY) IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEVELOPMENT. THE STORIES SAID THAT THE RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF TIES WILL EITHER BE SIMULTANEOUS WITH OR FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY ON THE ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE REPUBLICANS OF THE DISSOLUTION OF THEIR GOVT-IN-EXILE, WHICH WOULD RESOLVE THE GOM'S MORAL DILEMMA. EATON

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